

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 65th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

Call to Order: Chair Steve Lavin, on January 30, 2017 at 3:30 PM, in Room 455 Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Steve Lavin, Chair (R)
Rep. Frank Garner, Vice Chair (R)
Rep. George G. Kipp III, Vice Chair (D)
Rep. Alan Doane (R)
Rep. Dave Fern (D)
Rep. Bruce Grubbs (R)
Rep. Jim Hamilton (D)
Rep. Denley M. Loge (R)
Rep. Wendy McKamey (R)
Rep. Ray L. Shaw (R)
Rep. Bridget Smith (D)
Rep. Kathy Swanson (D)
Rep. Jeremy Trebas (R)

Members Excused: None

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Abigail Konen, Committee Secretary
Jason Mohr, Legislative Branch

Audio Committees: These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

Committee Business Summary:

Hearing & Date Posted: HB 299, 1/25/2017; SB 33, 1/25/2017

00:00:45 Chair Lavin

HEARING ON SB 33

Opening Statement by Sponsor:

00:01:05 Sen. Brian Hoven (R), SD 13, Clarify that highway structures not subject to building code requirements.

Proponents' Testimony:

00:04:03 Dwane Kailey, Montana Department of Transportation (MDT)

Opponents' Testimony: None

Informational Testimony: None

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

00:06:00 Rep. Loge
00:06:40 Dwane Kailey, MDT
00:07:24 Vice Chair Kipp III
00:07:44 Dwane Kailey, MDT
00:07:59 Vice Chair Kipp III
00:08:31 Dwane Kailey, MDT

Closing by Sponsor:

00:08:54 Sen. Hoven

HEARING ON HB 299

Opening Statement by Sponsor:

00:09:51 Rep. Geraldine Custer (R), HD 39, Revise outdoor advertising laws.

[EXHIBIT\(trh21a01\)](#)

Proponents' Testimony:

00:12:18 Joe Wilson, Sundowner Inn, Montana Lodging and Hospitality Association (MLHA)

[EXHIBIT\(trh21a02\)](#)

00:15:03 Stuart Doggett, Montana Lodging and Hospitality Association (MLHA)

Opponents' Testimony: None

Informational Testimony:

00:16:15 Dave Ohler, Montana Department of Transportation (MDT)

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

00:16:37 Rep. Loge
00:17:20 Rep. Custer
00:17:35 Rep. Loge
00:18:02 Rep. Custer
00:18:22 Rep. Fern
00:19:11 Dave Ohler, MDT
00:19:25 Rep. Fern

00:19:46 Dave Ohler, MDT
00:20:23 Rep. Fern
00:20:36 Dave Ohler, MDT
00:20:46 Rep. Doane
00:21:07 Dave Ohler, MDT
00:22:10 Chair Lavin

Closing by Sponsor:

00:22:30 Rep. Custer

00:23:54 Chair Lavin
00:25:39 Rep. McKamey
00:25:52 Chair Lavin

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 00:26:05

Abigail Konen, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT([trh21aad.pdf](#))